

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO STARRED QUESTIONS

Restructuring of 20 Point Programme

*21. SHRI TARIQ ANWAR: Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that Government propose to restructure 20 Point Programme;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the objectives of the 20 Point Programme are yet to be achieved; and
- (d) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI GK. VASAN): (a) and (b) The Government has approved the restructuring of the Twenty Point Programme, and this will be called the Twenty Point Programme-2006 (TPP-2006). A statement twenty Points and items coming under each Point is annexed (See below). The need for restructuring the existing Twenty Point Programme became inevitable due to (a) the introduction of several new policies and programmes by the Government of India and (b) keeping in view the challenges of the 21st Century with particular reference to economic reforms, liberalisation and globalisation of Indian economy.

(c) and (d) The main objectives of the Programme are to eradicate poverty and improve the quality of life of the common man. Achieving these objectives is a continuous process. The Twenty Point Programme is, therefore, still relevant.

Statement*Twenty Point Programme (TPP)-2006*

Point No.	Item No.	Name of the Points/Items
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I. Garibi Hatao [Poverty Eradication]		
		Rural Areas
	1.	Employment generation under the National Rural Employment Guarantee Act
	2.	Swarnajayanti Gram Swarojgar Yojana
	3.	Sampoorna Grameen Rojgar Yojana
	4.	Rural Business Hubs in Partnership with Panchayats
	5.	Self help Groups
		Urban Areas
	6.	Swarnajayanti Shahari Rojgar Yojana
II. Jan Shakti (Power to People)		
	7.	Local Self Government (Panchayati Raj and Urban Local Bodies) -Activity Mapping for devolution of functions - Budget Flow of Funds -Assignment of Functionaries
	8.	Quick and Inexpensive Justice-Gram Nyayalayas and Nyaya Panchayats.
	9.	District Planning Committees.
III. Kisan Mitra [Support to Farmers]		
	10.	Water shed development and Dry land farming
	11.	Marketing and infrastructural support to farmers
	12.	Irrigation facilities (including minor and micro irrigation) for agriculture

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	13.	Credit to farmers
	14.	Distribution of waste land to the landless
	IV. Shramik Kalyan [Labour Welfare]	
	15.	Social Security for Agricultural and Unorganised Labour
	16.	Minimum Wages Enforcement (including Farm Labour)
	17.	Prevention of Child Labour
	18.	Welfare of Women Labour
	V. Khadya Suraksha [Food Security]	
	19.	Food security:
		(i) Targeted Public Distribution system,
		(ii) Antyodaya Anna Yojana.
		(iii) Establishing Grain banks in chronically food scarcity areas
	VI. Subke Lye Aawas [Housing for All]	
	20.	Rural Housing—Indira Awaas Yojana
	21.	EWS/LIG Houses in Urban Areas
	VII. Shuddh Peya Jal [Clean Drinking Water]	
	22.	Rural Areas:
		— Swajaldhara
		— Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme
	23.	Urban Areas:
		— Accelerated Urban Water Supply Programme Vill. Jan Jan
	Ka Swasthya [Health for All]	
	24.	Control and prevention of major diseases:
		(a) HIV/AIDS (b) TB (c) Malaria (d) Leprosy (e) Blindness
	25.	National Rural Health Mission
	26.	Immunisation of Children

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	27.	Sanitation Programme in — Rural Areas — Urban areas
	28.	Institutional Delivery
	29.	Prevention of Female Foeticide
	30.	Supplementary nutrition for Mothers and Children
	31.	Two Child norms
IX.	Sabke Live Shiksha [Education for All]	
	32.	Sarv Shiksha Abhiyan
	33.	Mid Day Meal Scheme — Compulsory Elementary Education
X.	Anusuchit Jaati, Jan Jaati, Alp-sankhyak evam Anya Pichhra Varg Kalyan [Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Minorities and OBCs]	
	34.	SC Families Assisted
	35.	Rehabilitation of Scavengers
	36.	ST Families Assisted
	37.	Rights of Forest dwellers—Owners of minor forest produce
	38.	Primitive Tribal Groups
	39.	No alienation of Tribal lands
	40.	Implementation of Panchayats (Extension to Scheduled Areas) Act [PESA]
	41.	Welfare of Minorities
	42.	Professional education among all minority communities
	43.	Reservation of OBCs in — Education —Employment

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	XI. Manila Kalyan [Women Welfare]	
	44.	Financial Assistance for Women Welfare
	45.	Improved participation of women in (a) Panchayats (b) Municipalities (c) State Legislatures (d) Parliament
	XII. Bal Kalyan [Child Welfare]	
	46.	Universalisation of ICDS Scheme
	47.	Functional Anganwadis
	XIII. Yuva Vikas [Youth Development]	
	48.	Sports for all in Rural and Urban areas
	49.	Rashtriya Sadbhavana Yojana
	50.	National Service Scheme
	XIV. Basti Sudhar [improvement of Slums]	
	51.	Number of Urban poor families assisted under seven point charter viz. land tenure, housing at affordable cost, water, sanitation, health, education and social security.
	XV. Paryavaran Sanrakshan evam Van Vridhi [Environment Protection and Afforestation]	
	52.	Afforestation (a) Area Covered under Plantation on—Public and Forest Lands (b) Number of Seedlings planted on—Public and Forest Lands
	53.	Prevention of pollution of Rivers and water bodies
	54.	Solid and liquid waste management in — Rural Areas — Urban Areas

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XVI. Samajik Suraksha [Social Security]		
55.	Rehabilitation of handicapped and orphans	
56.	Welfare of the aged	
XVII. Grameen Sadak [Rural-Roads]		
57.	Rural Roads—PMGSY	
XVIIi. Grameen Oorja [Energization of Rural Area]		
58.	Bio-diesel Production	
59.	Rajiv Gandhi Grameen Vidyutikaran Yojana	
60.	Renewable Energy	
61.	Energising Pump sets	
62.	Supply of Electricity	
63.	Supply of Kerosene and LPG	
XIX. Pichhara Kshetra Vikas [Development of Backward Areas]		
64.	Backward Regions Grants Fund	
XX. e-Shasan [IT enabled e-Governance]		
65.	Central and State Governments	
66.	Panchayats and Municipalities	

Vacant posts in Doordarshan

*22. SHRIMATI HEMA MALINI: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that posts of crucial decisionmaking officers like Chief Executive Officer, Member (Personnel), Member (Finance) and Director-General, Doordarshan are lying vacant for a considerable time;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor and by when these posts are expected to be filled up;

(c) whether it is also a fact that vacancies on the board are reflecting on the functioning of Prasar Bharati;

(d) if so, whether any action plan has been envisaged to overcome the situation; and